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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL (Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b))		Attorney Docket No.	706696US1
		First Inventor or Application Identifier	Troy M Cornell, et al.
		Title	ENERGY ABSORBING FRONT FRAME STRUCTURE FOR A MOTOR VEHICLE
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APPLICATION ELEMENTS See MPEP Chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.		ADDRESS TO: MS Patent Application Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450	

1. *Fee Transmittal Form (e.g. PTO/SB/17)
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2. Specification [Total Pages 20]
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 Descriptive title of the Invention
 Cross References to Related Applications
 Statement Regarding Fed Sponsored R&D
 Reference to Microfiche Appendix
 Background of the Invention
 Brief Summary of the Invention
 Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
 Detailed Description
 Claims(s)
 Abstract of the Disclosure
5. Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)
6. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission
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This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application Serial No. _____, filed _____.

3. Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 6]
4. Oath or Declaration [Total Pages 2]
 a. UNSIGNED
 b. Copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R. § 1.63 (d))
(for continuation/divisional with Box 16 completed)
 i. DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)

Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s)
Named in the prior application, see 37 C.F.R.
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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity Fee	Small Entity Fee	Fee Description	Fee Paid
Code (\$)	Code (\$)		
1001 770	2001 385	Utility filing fee	770
1002 340	2002 170	Design filing fee	
1003 530	2003 265	Plant filing fee	
1004 770	2004 385	Reissue filing fee	
1005 160	2005 80	Provisional filing fee	
SUBTOTAL (1)			770

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Total Claims	Extra Claim	Fee from below	Fee Paid
	20	-20** = 0 X 0 = 0	0
Independent Claims	3	- 3** = 0 X 0 = 0	0
Multiple Dependent **or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see below		290 = 0	0

Large Entity Fee	Small Entity Fee	Fee Description
Code (\$)	Code (\$)	
1202 18	2202 9	Claims in excess of 20
1201 86	2201 43	Independent claims in excess of 3
1203 290	2203 145	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
1204 86	2204 43	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
1205 18	2205 9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent
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3. ADDITIONAL FEES

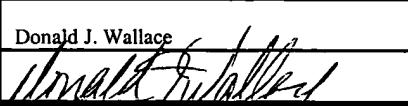
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105 130	205 65	Surcharge-late filing fee or oath	
127 50	227 25	Surcharge-late provisional filing fee or cover sheet.	
139 130	139 130	Non-English specification	
147 2,520	147 2,520	For filing a request for examination	
112 920*	112 920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113 1,840*	113 1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115 110	215 55	Extension for reply within first month	
116 390	216 195	Extension for reply within second month	
117 890	217 445	Extension for reply within third month	
118 1,390	218 695	Extension for reply within fourth month	
128 1,890	228 945	Extension for reply within fifth month	
119 310	219 155	Notice of Appeal	
120 310	220 155	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121 270	221 135	Request for oral hearing	
138 1,510	138 1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140 110	240 55	Petition to revive – unavoidable	
141 1,240	241 620	Petition to revive – unintentional	
142 1,240	242 620	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143 440	243 220	Design issue fee	
144 600	244 300	Plant issue fee	
122 130	122 130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
123 50	123 50	Petitions related to provisional applications	
126 180	126 180	Submission of Information Disclos. Stmt.	
581 40	581 40	Recording of each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
146 710	246 355	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	
149 710	249 355	For each additional invention to be examined (34 CFR 1.129(b))	

Other fee (specify) _____

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